GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Repair of NHs
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is giving adequate attention on maintenance and repair of highways;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the role of States therein;

(c) the budget allocated for repair and maintenance of highways during the last three years and the current year, State-wise;

(d) the funds released by the Government against the applications submitted by the State Governments including Rajasthan and the details of funds yet to be released in this regard; and

(e) the reasons for the delay in releasing the balance amount to the States?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) to (b) Ministry has sanctioned about 274 nos of proposal amounting to Rs. 2139 Crore submitted by the State PWD for repair and maintenance of National Highways (NHs) as on 28th Feb in the current financial year 2016-17.

(c) to (e) The funds allocated for repair and maintenance of NHs during the last three year and as on 28th Feb in current financial year 2016-17 are given at Annexure. The funds are released depending upon the expenditure incurred by the states. The States are needed to accelerate the execution of the work to utilize full funds allocated to them.